

RENEWS ATTACK UPON PRESIDENT

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cessful, because I have learned a good deal. The presidency is a big school, and I know whom to trust and whom not to trust."

Colonel Roosevelt advocated the establishment of a bureau to inquire into the effect of the tariff upon workingmen, with a view to seeing, he said, that proper share of the returns get into pay envelopes.

The colonel predicted his victory confidently.

He said that the fight for the nomination could be won without Ohio, but that he wished to see this State share in the victory.

Colonel Roosevelt left for Cleveland, tomorrow he is to go to Dayton and a number of other places.

President Continues Fight.

Yonkers, N. Y., May 14.—President Taft, in a speech here tonight, made his first attack of the campaign on tariff revision plans of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt. "I understand," said the President, "that Mr. Roosevelt said he favored a tariff of high wages so that the profits of it will go through to the weekly envelope, and won't stop at the box office."

"We're all in favor of high wages and prosperity, but how would he arrange a tariff with an adjustment of the relation between the wage-earner and those engaged in an industry? He does not know and I do not know and neither does anybody else know."

Mr. Taft spoke in a local theatre to a crowd.

"I don't know why I am opposed by Theodore Roosevelt, who backed me four years ago," said the President.

"He made a mistake," shouted a lone voice.

"Shame! Shame!" came the echoes, and there was no more such interruption.

"Theodore Roosevelt does not understand what the nature of our government is, because he does not know what liberty regulated by law is," was one sentence that made the crowd applaud.

"I am here to ask you to do justice and give a square deal to an administration of the government of the United States by an Ohio man. I do not ask any favors because I am an Ohio man, but I ask justice."

He based his appeal for support in next Tuesday's primaries largely upon the achievements of his administration and the danger, he said, lay in the re-nomination and re-election of Colonel Roosevelt.

The President began the day in East Liverpool and made his last speech here tonight. The President created amusement for his hearers at Akron when he took up his discussion of the

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Instructed for Roosevelt.

Baltimore, Md., May 14.—Sixteen delegates, eight of them elected by the friends of President Taft and eight by the supporters of Theodore Roosevelt, but all instructed to vote for Colonel Roosevelt at Chicago, were gathered today at the Maryland Republican State Convention.

Although the Taft men controlled a majority of the 129 delegates so far as their personal affiliations were concerned, they made no effort to defeat the instructions of the preference primaries, which were for Colonel Roosevelt. Before the convention met a plank was put in the platform and unanimously adopted which declared the presidential record of Colonel Roosevelt "without parallel in our generation," and concluded with a pledge to give him the "undivided support" of the Maryland delegation for the presidential nomination.

President Taft's administration was endorsed in more measured terms.

The Roosevelt forces yielded the position of national committeeman and pledged themselves to re-elect a Taft man, William P. Jackson.

The delegates-at-large chosen today are: Governor Phillips Lee Goldsborough, William T. Warburton, Colonel E. C. Carrington, Jr., George L. Wallington.

In addition twelve district delegates were chosen.

Of the delegates-at-large, Governor Goldsborough and Mr. Warburton are Taft men. Colonel Carrington is chairman of the Maryland-Roosevelt committee. Mr. Wallington is a former United States Senator and a Roosevelt supporter.

One of the district delegates, J. P. Evans, of Baltimore, is a negro, and a number of negro delegates sat in the State convention today.

Harmony Talk Prevails.

Nashville, Tenn., May 14.—Harmony talk prevails around the Democratic headquarters on the eve of the State convention, which will meet here tomorrow to select the entire State delegation to the national convention at Baltimore, and indications are that an untroubled delegation will be sent.

At Underwood and Harmon headquarters this is openly advocated and predicted. Wilson's managers intimate that such a course would be satisfactory to them. Clark managers said tonight that they will propose to the convention that a poll be taken, and whichever candidate for the presidential nomination develops the most strength be given the entire delegation consisting of four votes in the national convention.

The relative strength of the four candidates apparently is an undetermined factor. Only 269 out of 1,361 delegates to the State convention were instructed, so far as ascertained. They were instructed by majority in most districts and not by counties in most instances, and both Clark and Wilson leaders claim a majority.

If the convention decides upon an untroubled delegation, the principal fight will be involved in a quiet contest to get the idea of State harmony adopted on the delegation. Managers for all the candidates are claiming a majority of the delegates friendly to their man. Clark and Wilson managers are laying claim to the entire delegation. At Harmon's headquarters the said they are counting on not less than fourteen of the twenty district delegates, and "ought to have all the delegates from the State at large."

At Underwood's headquarters they intended to see the sentiment growing and said that where other candidates had instructions, Underwood was second choice. The fact that the Democratic party split in the last gubernatorial campaign and has had two committees, each claiming to represent the party, has had great weight in putting the idea of State harmony above the claims of any one candidate for the presidential nomination.

Two Sharply Drawn Issues.

Columbia, S. C., May 14.—When the South Carolina Democratic convention meets here at noon tomorrow, it will face two sharply drawn issues, one the alignment of delegates for and against Governor Blaine and the other the question of instructing delegates or of making them untroubled supporters of Judge Ira B. Jones, probably will dominate the convention and are very likely to elect their ticket of delegates at large. Governor Blaine's name, it is thought, will be presented as a candidate for member of the delegation at large. This election is expected to bring out a sharp fight.

On the question of presidential preference, there is a contest also. Woodrow Wilson will make an effort to have the convention instruct for the Governor, while partisans of Congressman Underwood, who is represented here by the campaign manager, Senator Bankhead, will strive to prevent definite action, and will, it is said, try to get a presidential preference primary to be held in June.

The State Legislative Committee met tonight, but adjourned immediately, taking no action to meet again immediately after the adjournment of the convention tomorrow.

Congressman Will E. Jones, State chairman, was presented with a loving cup by the members of the committee.

Tennessee for Taft.

Nashville, Tenn., May 14.—Four delegates from the State-at-large in the national Republican convention instructed to vote for William H. Taft were selected by the Tennessee Republican Convention here tonight.

The delegates are United States Sen-

ator Newell Sanders, State Senator Z. Hicks, G. W. Ross and John J. Gore.

The platform adopted carries specific instructions to "do all in their power" to secure the renomination of President Taft, indorses his administration, condemns the recall of judicial decisions and the initiative and referendum in national government, and opposes any amendment to the Sherman antitrust law except to supplement it and make its enforcement more effective and certain.

After the convention had adopted a permanent organization and adopted a platform, the meeting was thrown into confusion when Roosevelt delegates attempted to bolt.

Trouble was precipitated when the convention was preparing to vote for four delegates-at-large to the national convention. A plea was made to put a leader of the Roosevelt forces on the delegation, who would abide by instructions to vote for Taft for the sake of harmony.

Shouts of "No!" "No!" greeted the plea. Instantly a dozen delegates dragged a table to the front and called for Roosevelt leaders to join them and conduct an opposition convention.

Quiet finally was restored, and the roll call on the election of delegates was taken after two hours of chaos.

Roosevelt Men in Control.

Greensboro, N. C., May 14.—Republicans of the Fifth, Seventh and Ninth Congressional Districts, in conventions at Greensboro, Lexington and Hickory, today elected delegates to the national convention, and in each instance instructed them to "vote for Theodore Roosevelt for President so long as his name was before the convention."

The delegates from the Fifth are: James N. Williamson, of Alamance, and John T. Penlow, of Forsyth, with J. A. Hoskins, of Guilford, and R. M. Petree, of Stokes, as alternates. The Seventh named J. T. Hedrick and Charles H. Cowles, of Wilkes, as delegates, and Dr. C. G. Bryant, of Yadkin, and J. T. Winslow, of Randolph, as alternates. The Ninth District delegates are S. S. McFinch, of Mecklenburg, and Charles E. Green, of Mitchell, with Colonel Ramsey, of Madison, and Charles A. Jones of Lincoln as alternates.

In each of the conventions the Roosevelt men were in absolute control, and little effort was made by the Taft men to prevent instructions. Every mention of Roosevelt's name brought vociferous applause.

"Morally Bound" to Clark.

Concord, N. H., May 14.—Four delegates-at-large and one from each of the two congressional districts to the Democratic National Convention at Baltimore, pledged, but "morally bound" by a preferential vote in the convention to vote for Speaker Champ Clark for the presidential nomination.

Clark for the presidential nomination, were elected by the Democrats of New Hampshire today. The delegates-at-large are Clarence E. Carr, John B. Jamieson, Eugene E. Reid and Henry T. Ledoux.

In its platform the convention favored a six-year term for President and ineligibility for a second term. It commends the work of the House of Representatives and demands a graduated income tax, parcels post, election of United States Senators by direct vote, a direct primary law for the election of delegates to national convention, and revision of the anti-trust and currency laws.

Notice of Contests Filed.

Chicago, May 14.—Notice of thirty-three contests has been filed with the Republican National Committee, which will open its permanent headquarters in the Coliseum tomorrow.

From Florida today came notice that the State's entire list of twelve delegates would be contested by the Taft and the Roosevelt forces. Other contests reported today were from the Fourth and the Seventh Districts of Mississippi, and the Fifth District of Louisiana.

A peculiar condition exists in the

Fifth Louisiana District. One delegate and his alternate were indorsed by both the Roosevelt and the Taft followers, but they split on the second delegate and the second alternate.

Through a misunderstanding, it previously was announced at the committee headquarters that the holding of the subcommittees would be held tomorrow or Thursday to make final plans for the convention. This meeting will be held May 18.

Instructed for Roosevelt.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Lexington, N. C., May 14.—The Republican District Convention here today was almost unanimously for Roosevelt.

Preparing two delegates, J. T. Hedrick, of Lexington, and C. H. Cowles, of Statesville, were elected. After a warm contest they were instructed for Roosevelt. There was practically no sentiment for Taft.

Early Reports Favor Clark.

Reno, Nev., May 14.—Early reports indicate the Democratic presidential preference vote in today's Nevada primaries is for Champ Clark. Washoe, Storey, Elko and Humboldt counties give heavy majorities for Clark. While the county almost entirely is committed to Wilson, the vote in Elko standing 124 for Wilson to 4 for Clark.

Only One Report Received.

Upon receiving the report of the committee the council meets immediately in session and then lays its recommendations before the Governor. Up to 11 o'clock today the report of Dr. L. V. Briggs was the only one on file with the Governor, and the nature of that report was kept well hidden.

It was understood that the other three alternates—Dr. Stedman, Tuttle and Frost—were at work on their reports and that they would be in the hands of the Governor before the council meets tomorrow.

There is a lot of talk of an unusual notice about this case of something that Richeson threatens to reveal if he finds that he is going to be executed. For instance, an official whose business it is to follow the case closely said:

"We have absolute proof that Clarence Richeson within a fortnight offered a man at the Charles Street jail \$100 if he would procure for him a vial of cyanide of potassium similar in shape and size to that which he purchased from Druggist Hanna, of Newton."

"We have the name of the man who got and reported the offer, the exact time it occurred and other circumstances. Now what do you suppose Richeson wanted a duplicate poison vial for at this late date, with his petition for clemency before the Governor and death so close at hand?"

"Doesn't it indicate that he expected to live longer than the court decreed? Richeson, I'm telling you, doesn't expect to die. Perhaps he wanted the duplicate vial for a plant. But that suggests the question, Why should he want to plant it?"

"There is something strange and baffling hidden in Richeson's case. I look for it to be a yet, it doesn't relate to a writ of error or any legal opposition that may be directed toward the acceptance of his plea."

"It is something that perhaps he alone knows about. He may have kept it even from his lawyers, but Richeson has something in reserve."

REFUSES TO COMPROMISE

Government Threatens to Bring Suit for Smuggling Against Jack Johnson.

Chicago, Ill., May 14.—Champion pugilist Jack Johnson's attempt to compromise a government charge of smuggling a diamond necklace into this country has ended in failure. He has been notified that if he does not pay the full value of the necklace and the regular tax, which will amount to about \$9,600, suit will be brought against him.

Johnson recently deposited \$5,000 with the Federal authorities and requested that this sum be accepted and the smuggling charge dropped. He insisted that similar compromises had been effected by others. The pugilist avers that he bought the necklace in this country, but he has failed to name the man from whom he purchased it.

HEAVY PENALTIES PROVIDED

Measure for Provision of Adequate Landing Facilities on Steamships.

Washington, D. C., May 14.—Heavy penalties for failure to provide adequate life-saving facilities on ocean-going steamships are provided in a bill introduced in the House today by Representative Webb (Democrat).

The bill provides for all passengers and members of crews on ocean-going vessels of 2,000 tons or more are made imperative by the measure, which provides a fine of \$10,000, or ten years imprisonment, as a penalty for each violation.

The bill would also force steamship companies to have a competent statement of the life-saving facilities of the vessel on which passage is sold.

HONOR SHIP OF NAVY

Battleship Michigan Holds Record for All Forms of Gun Practice.

Washington, May 14.—For all forms of gun practice—big guns, little guns, target shooting and day and night work for the last three months, the battleship Michigan set the honor ship of the navy, with the score of 59,267.

The Dreadnought Utah is second, with 58,878; the Delaware third, with 56,281, and the Virginia fourth, with 55,178.

The other fifteen battleships of the Atlantic fleet fell below 50 per cent, with averages ranging from 47,124 down to 22,606. They stood in the following order at the end of the quarter: North Dakota, New Hampshire, New Jersey, Ohio, Rhode Island, Maryland, Connecticut, Louisiana, North Carolina, Mississippi, Kansas, South Carolina, Minnesota, Nebraska and Georgia.

When it came to individual scoring, excluding the division firing, which counted in the above table, the Utah was the banner ship, at 91 plus. The Virginia was second, at 82; Michigan third, at 78, and the Ohio fourth, at 76.

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PRESIDENT REMITS FINES

Defendants in "Night Rider" Cases Required Only to Pay Costs.

Washington, May 14.—President Taft today remitted the fines of eight men convicted in the so-called "night rider" tobacco cases in Kentucky, requiring the defendants to pay only the costs of the trial. The men, all members of the Burley Leaf Growers' Association, were found guilty of violation of the anti-trust laws and interfering with interstate traffic in tobacco. The fines aggregated about \$1,000 apiece. The defendants were John Steers, Perry Stinson, A. C. Webb, Jerry S. Carter, Hugh Lee Conrad, R. Lee Conrad, Frederick J. Conrad and John Caldwell.

ONE DEAD, FIVE INJURED

Disaster Attends Early Morning Joy Ride at Kansas City.

Kansas City, Mo., May 14.—An early morning joy ride brought death to one woman and serious injury to the five others in a party when an automobile ran off a twenty-foot embankment in the outskirts of this city today.

Hazel McCary, aged twenty-five, was killed. Carl Bender, chauffeur, aged thirty-three, was injured, fatally, it is believed. Four negro musicians, who were to have a concert returning from a party, were injured. Two of them probably will die. The automobile was demolished.

STIRS QUAKER CITY

Philadelphia, May 14.—The success of the parade of suffragists in New York has stirred Philadelphia women to action, and a meeting will be held tomorrow to discuss plans for a similar demonstration in this city.

New York suffrage leaders say that thousands of women have joined the ranks since the parade there about ten days ago. The local leaders believe a parade here also would create sympathetic interest, and they have decided to have a grand parade in the autumn. To make it successful they propose to begin work at once.

ORDERS TO SCOUT CRUISER

Washington, May 14.—Orders were issued at the Navy Department this afternoon that the scout cruiser Marlborough would proceed to Hoboken, N. J., the latter part of July to be used as the official training and practice ship of the New Jersey naval militia. The naval militia's cruise, the exact date for which have not been made public as yet, will take place early in August and be about ten days in length.

OBITUARY

W. Burch Dunford.

W. Burch Dunford died suddenly of apoplexy at his home, 316 North Ninth Street, yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock. He leaves a wife, who was Miss Josephine Kohl, and nine children, four sons and five daughters. They are: Frank T., of Philadelphia; William M., of Wellford and Wesley B. and Mrs. J. M. Gusey, Mrs. T. B.

Littlepage, of Atlanta; Mayme R. Josephine F. and Mabel B. Dunford. He is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Lecler and Mrs. Leady. Arrangements for the funeral will be announced later.

Mrs. Annie Byrd Bailey.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Lynchburg, Va., May 14.—Mrs. Annie Byrd Bailey, aged sixty years, died this morning at 7 o'clock at her home, her death being due to pneumonia. The body is to be taken to-morrow morning to Durham, N. C., for burial there.

Mrs. Lucy P. Wells.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Lynchburg, Va., May 14.—Mrs. Lucy P. Wells, aged sixty-eight years, died last night at the Home and Retreat after a long illness. The body was later removed to the home of her son, N. S. Shirley, 2213 Poplar Street, from whence the burial will take place.

Mrs. Lucy Waddell White.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Lexington, Va., May 14.—Mrs. Lucy Waddell White, wife of Dr. Reid White, who is a member of the State board of health, died this morning at her home in Lexington, Va., from complications. She was a daughter of Rev. Thomas L. Peston.

D. D. for some years pastor of a Presbyterian Church in Richmond, and later in Lexington. Her husband, four children, three sisters, one brother and her mother survive her. The funeral will be held to-morrow afternoon.

Mrs. Sarah J. Willis.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Harrisonburg, Va., May 14.—Mrs. Sarah J. Willis, eighty-eight years old, died yesterday. She was a native of Winchester. She leaves two children, Mrs. R. Lee Allen and Joseph Willis, both of Harrisonburg. She belonged to the Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Charlotte Jordan.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Norwood, Va., May 14.—Mrs. Char-

DEATHS

BUSHY—Died at Williamsburg, Va., Monday night, May 13, JOHN H. BUSHY, in the sixty-sixth year of his age.

Funeral WEDNESDAY, May 15, from Decatur Street M. E. Church, South Richmond, at 3:30 P. M.

LIGGAN—Died, at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Urban Neal, 2206 East Broad, at 3 P. M., Tuesday, May 14, 1912, MISS STUBBS LIGGAN, daughter of the late William and Mahala Liggan.

Funeral notice later.

LUMPKIN—Died, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. R. E. Gilman, 119 West Grace Street, yesterday at 3:30 P. M., W. L. LUMPKIN, aged seventy-three. He leaves two daughters, Mrs. T. R. Wallace and Mrs. H. E. Gilman, and two sons, W. R. and T. G. Lumpkin.

The funeral will be held from his home, near Ashland, at 3:30 P. M. TO-DAY.

Staunton, Va., papers please copy.

DUNFORD—Died, suddenly, of apoplexy, at 9:30 A. M., W. BURCH DUNFORD, of 516 North Ninth Street, in the thirty-fourth year of his age. Funeral notice later.

Atlanta, Ga., and Philadelphia, Pa., papers please copy.

lotte Jordan died at her home here last Thursday and was laid to rest in the family burying ground on Sunday morning. She is survived by her husband, Ben Jordan, and twelve children, together with many sisters and brothers.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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